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ABOUT KELLY WALTMAN, PHD

Dr. Kelly Waltman helps leaders and teams cultivate spaces where people thrive. Through her bestselling book, *Elevate Connection*, in her talks and workshops, she shares the tools to elevate connection, get comfortable with feedback, and improve communication.

As someone who has experienced the full spectrum of connection and communication (the good, the bad, and the ugly), Waltman draws upon her twenty-plus years of leadership and professional development experience to take audiences on a journey of understanding what true connection means, what effective feedback is (and what it is not) and how to begin cultivating their ideal workplace culture.



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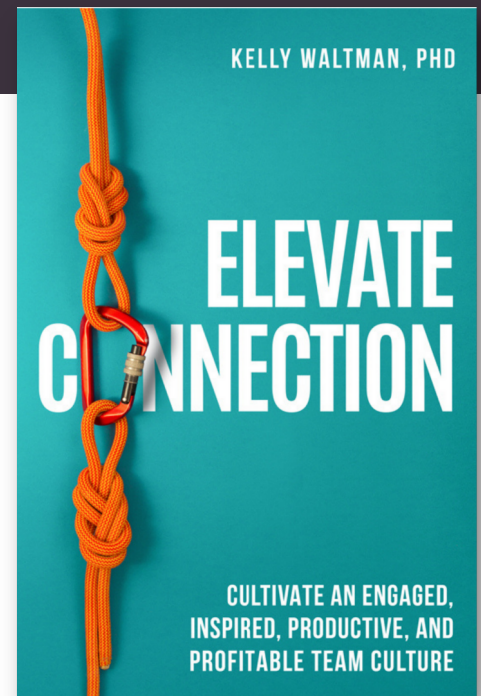


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ELEVATE CONNECTION



Your team is your biggest asset.
Your team culture is the linchpin for success.

The research is clear, the quality of communication and level of connection within an organization has a direct relationship to the company's success. Billions of dollars are lost each year due to ineffective communication, employee disengagement, and turnover. Research also confirms that when employees feel connected to the bigger picture of the company's work, to leadership, and to one another, they are more satisfied, motivated, and productive. As a result, the business' bottom line improves.

Intuitively we know effective communication and connection are essential. We also know feedback is vital to growth and positive performance. Despite this knowledge, many leaders and teams struggle to effectively communicate and cultivate connection. Fear of feedback, feeling like there isn't enough time, and uncertainty of how to start hold many leaders and teams back from creating their ideal workplace culture.

- ✓ If you are seeking to have better communication with your team and be more comfortable with giving and receiving feedback, this book is for you.
- ✓ If you are a leader who wants their team members to feel motivated and excited to work, this book will provide the tools to elevate connection and cultivate a culture that is engaged, inspired, productive, and profitable.

“If you want to foster solidarity in your workplace, *Elevate Connection* is a must-read. Waltman's research and stories bring a fresh perspective to one of the key ingredients for success - connection.

Sally Helgesen

“*Elevate Connection* is a must-read. This is the message that the world needs, and Waltman is the ideal person to deliver it.

Shola Richards

“An integral element of inclusive workplace cultures is connection. The compelling research and strategies Waltman shares serve as a guide for leaders and teams seeking to promote a thriving workplace.

Jennifer Brown

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INTERVIEW TOPICS

- ✓ How to define and measure connection in the workplace
- ✓ The positive effects of having a team that feels connected to the mission, to leadership, and to one another (and the negative effects of having one that is not)
- ✓ Strategies for promoting connection within the workplace
- ✓ Why we fear feedback and how we can become more comfortable with it
- ✓ What effective feedback is (and what it's not)
- ✓ How to effectively request and receive feedback
- ✓ The importance of self-care as a leader

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& Then
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SUGGESTED INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

1. What does the research show regarding the importance of connection?
2. What does "elevated connection" in the workplace look like?
3. What are some ways leaders and teams can elevate connection?
4. How important is feedback to employee engagement and connection?
5. Why do we tend to be uncomfortable with giving and receiving feedback? What can we do to get better at feedback conversations?
6. What are the components of effective feedback? What are some examples of "feedback gone wrong?"
7. Why is self-care as a leader important? How does it relate to connection?



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